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NETWORK AND METHOD FOR  
PROVIDING A FLEXIBLE CALL  
FORWARDING  
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SPEECH RECOGNITION CAPABILITY

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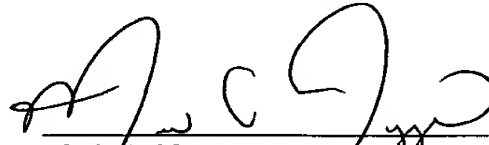
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Nevertheless, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additionally required fees necessary for consideration of this Supplemental *Information Disclosure Statement* by Applicant to Account No. 11-1110.

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